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Examiner: Elaine L. Gort

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In re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Applicant(s) : Akio SEKIYA

Serial No. : 09/453,568

Filed : December 2, 1999

For : COMPUTING METHOD FOR
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Attorney Ref. : HAG 114

**PETITION FOR
THREE-MONTH
EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
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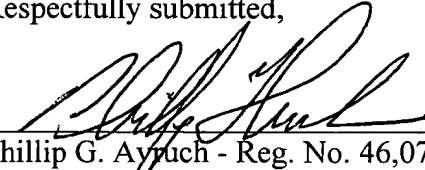
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the period for replying to the Examiner's Action dated May 6, 2003, be extended for three months under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

The applicable extension fee of \$475.00 (small entity) pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a) is submitted herewith.

Should any additional fees be required, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 18-0002 and advise us accordingly.

Respectfully submitted,


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